## **Brandy Butler**

**From:** Office of Commissioner Brown

Sent: Monday, November 13, 2017 10:15 AM

To: 'Warren Hauser'
Cc: Records Clerk

**Subject:** RE: Are you in the pocket of FPL?

Dear Mr. Hauser,

On behalf of Chairman Brown, we have received your email dated November 10, 2017. The Commission Clerk has placed a copy of your email in Docket Correspondence, Consumers and their Representatives, in Docket No. 20170007-EI, *Environmental cost recovery clause*. Thank you for providing the Commission with your comments and we will take them into consideration.

Thank you,

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From: Warren Hauser [mailto:warrenhauser@gmail.com]

Sent: Friday, November 10, 2017 8:47 AM

**To:** Office of Commissioner Brown **Subject:** Are you in the pocket of FPL?

This will probably do little to change your mind. The FPL shareholders and their attorneys and advocates and lobbyist are rich and the rich get what they want at the expensive of those that they provide electricity for.

Here is what Peggy Black is asking us to send to you: Florida Power & Light receives a very large rate of return from its customers because their shareholders claim they take "risks". However, whenever their so-called "risks" turn to actual losses, they run to their bought and paid for friends at the FPSC and get them to stick us ratepayers with those losses. It is time for FP&L shareholders to bear the losses of their "risks" themselves. Please oppose this rate request by FP&L.

This is no doubt an exercise if futility as the decision has already been determined in favour of the utility (FPL). Ands that before there were any hearings.

What say you?

"IGNORE the customers and do business as usual. Make the public bailout the rich gamblers while poor people that buy lotto tickets etc. are never bailed out.

The customer never wins against a public utility or at least very seldom and that only if they are already rich of have a great attorney.

Cordially,

Warren Hauser